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# REMARKS ON POSITIVE MAPS ON SELFDUAL CONES

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ここではヒルベルト空間における selfdual cone を保存する意味での正值写像および作用素の順序 ( $\leq$ ) に関する基本的な性質を考える。内容は [MI] を部分的に含む。

## §1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a separable complex Hilbert space with an inner product  $(\cdot, \cdot)$ . A convex cone  $\mathcal{H}^+$  in  $\mathcal{H}$  is said to be selfdual if  $\mathcal{H}^+ = \{\xi \in \mathcal{H} | (\xi, \eta) \geq 0 \ \forall \eta \in \mathcal{H}^+\}$ . The set of all bounded operators is denoted by  $L(\mathcal{H})$ . For a fixed selfdual cone  $\mathcal{H}^+$ , we shall write

$$A \leq B \quad \text{if} \quad (B - A)(\mathcal{H}^+) \subset \mathcal{H}^+, A, B \in L(\mathcal{H}).$$

Since  $\mathcal{H}$  is algebraically spanned by  $\mathcal{H}^+$ , the relation ' $\leq$ ' defines the partial order on  $L(\mathcal{H})$ .

Recall a selfdual cone associated with a standard von Neumann algebra in the sense of Haagerup [H], which appears in the form  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, J, \mathcal{H}^+)$  where  $\mathcal{M}$  is a von Neumann algebra on  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $J$  is an isometric involution related to a selfdual cone  $\mathcal{H}^+$  in  $\mathcal{H}$ . For example,  $\ell^2_+ = \{\xi = \{\lambda_n\} | \lambda_n \geq 0\}$  is a selfdual cone associated with an abelian standard von Neumann algebra  $\ell^\infty$ . Then, for  $A = (\lambda_{ij}) \in L(\ell^2)$ ,  $A \geq 0$  if and only if  $\lambda_{ij} \geq 0$  for  $i, j = 1, 2, \dots$ .

Moreover, suppose that  $(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}^+_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$  and  $(\tilde{\mathcal{H}}, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$  are matrix ordered Hilbert spaces. Here  $\mathcal{H}^+_n$  denotes a selfdual cone in  $\mathcal{H}_n = M_n(\mathcal{H})$ . A linear map  $A$  of  $\mathcal{H}$  into  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$  is said to be  $n$ -positive (resp.  $n$ -co-positive) when the multiplicity map  $A_n (= A \otimes \text{id}_n)$  satisfies  $A_n \mathcal{H}^+_n \subset \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+_n$  (resp.  ${}^t(A_n \mathcal{H}^+_n) \subset \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+_n$ ). Here  ${}^t(\cdot)$  denotes a set of all transposed matrices. When  $A$  is  $n$ -positive (resp.  $n$ -co-positive) for all

$n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $A$  is said to be completely positive (resp. completely co-positive). Put, for  $A \in L(\mathcal{H})$

$$\hat{A}\xi = AJAJ\xi, \quad \xi \in \mathcal{H}.$$

It is known that if, in a matrix ordered standard form  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}_n^+)$  as introduced in [SW2],  $A \in \mathcal{M}$  then  $\hat{A}$  is completely positive, and we shall write  $\hat{A} \succeq_{cp} O$ .

## §2. POSITIVE MAPS ASSOCIATED WITH SELFDUAL CONES

We obtain the following proposition for a general selfdual cone in a finite dimensional Hilbert space. In particular, when  $\mathcal{H}^+$  is associated with an abelian von Neumann algebra, that is, a matrix is entrywise positive, it is known as the Peron theorem (see, example [HJ, Corollary 8.2.6]).

**(2.1).** *Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be an  $n$ -dimensional Hilbert space with a selfdual cone  $\mathcal{H}^+$ . If  $A$  is an injective linear operator on  $\mathcal{H}$  satisfying  $A \succeq O$ , then there exist a number  $\lambda > 0$  and a non-zero element  $\xi_0 \in \mathcal{H}^+$  such that  $A\xi_0 = \lambda\xi_0$ .*

*Proof.* Put

$$\mathcal{V} = \text{co}\{\xi \in \mathcal{H}^+ \mid \|\xi\| = 1\},$$

where  $\text{co}$  denotes the convex hull. Consider the map  $r$  defined by

$$r(\xi) = \frac{A\xi}{\|A\xi\|}, \quad \xi \in \mathcal{V}.$$

By assumption  $r$  maps  $\mathcal{V}$  to itself. Note that  $0 \notin \mathcal{V}$ . Because, by the Carathéodory theorem (see, for example [La, Theorem 2.23]) any element  $\xi \in \mathcal{V}$  can be expressed as

$$\xi = \lambda_1 \xi_1 + \cdots + \lambda_s \xi_s,$$

where  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_s > 0$ ,  $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_s \in \mathcal{H}^+$  with  $\|\xi_1\| = \cdots = \|\xi_s\| = 1$  and  $1 \leq s \leq n+1$ . It follows that  $\xi \geq \lambda_1 \xi_1(\mathcal{H}^+)$ , and so  $\|\xi\| \geq \|\lambda_1 \xi_1\| = |\lambda_1| > 0$ . Since a convex hull of a compact set is compact [La, Theorem 2.30], it follows from Schauder's fixed point theorem [Sd, Satz I] that there exists an element  $\xi_0 \in \mathcal{V}$  satisfying  $r(\xi_0) = \xi_0$ . Hence  $A\xi_0 = \|A\xi_0\| \xi_0$ .  $\square$

The following fundamental proposition is valid for a general selfdual cone. It says that the order ' $\preceq$ ' is different from the usual order ' $\leq$ ' based on positivity of hermitian operators in point of compatibility with product.

(2.2). (cf. [IM, Proposition 1]) Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a Hilbert space with a selfdual cone  $\mathcal{H}^+$ . Then for bounded operators on  $\mathcal{H}$  we have the following properties:

- (1) If  $O \leq A_1 \leq B_1$  and  $O \leq A_2 \leq B_2$ , then  $O \leq A_1 A_2 \leq B_1 B_2$ . In particular, if  $O \leq A \leq B$ , then  $A^n \leq B^n$  for every natural number  $n$ .
- (2) If  $O \leq A \leq B$ , then  $O \leq A^* \leq B^*$ .
- (3) If  $A, A^{-1}, B, B^{-1} \geq O$  and  $A \leq B$ , then  $B^{-1} \leq A^{-1}$ .
- (4) If  $O \leq A \leq B$ , then  $\|A\| \leq \|B\|$ .

*Proof.* We sketch a proof which is similar to [IM].

(1) By assumption  $A_i(\mathcal{H}^+) \subset \mathcal{H}^+$  and  $(B_i - A_i)(\mathcal{H}^+) \subset \mathcal{H}^+$  hold for  $i = 1, 2$ . Since  $B_1 B_2 - A_1 A_2 = B_1(B_2 - A_2) + (B_1 - A_1)A_2$ , we obtain the desired inequality.

(2) Let  $A(\mathcal{H}^+) \subset \mathcal{H}^+$ . Then we have  $(A^* \xi, \eta) = (\xi, A\eta) \geq 0$  for all  $\xi, \eta \in \mathcal{H}^+$ . The selfduality of  $\mathcal{H}^+$  shows that  $A^* \geq O$ . Exchanging the role of  $A$  and  $B - A$  we obtain the desired property.

(3) If  $A \leq B$ , then  $B^{-1} = A^{-1} A B^{-1} \leq A^{-1} B B^{-1} = A^{-1}$  from (1).

(4) For  $A \geq O$ , put  $\|A\|_+ = \sup\{\|A\xi\|; \|\xi\| \leq 1, \xi \in \mathcal{H}^+\}$ . Suppose  $O \leq A \leq B$ . Note that if  $\eta - \xi \in \mathcal{H}^+$  for  $\xi, \eta \in \mathcal{H}^+$ , then  $\|\xi\| \leq \|\eta\|$ . Since  $\|A\|_+ \leq \|B\|_+$ , it suffices to show  $\|\cdot\|_+ = \|\cdot\|$ . It is known that any element  $\xi \in \mathcal{H}$  can be written as  $\xi = \xi_1 - \xi_2 + i(\xi_3 - \xi_4)$ ,  $\xi_1 \perp \xi_2, \xi_3 \perp \xi_4$ , for some  $\xi_i \in \mathcal{H}^+$ . Then  $\|\xi\|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^4 \|\xi_i\|^2$ . Noticing that  $A \geq O$ , we see that

$$\begin{aligned} \|A\xi\|^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^4 \|A\xi_i\|^2 - 2(A\xi_1, A\xi_2) - 2(A\xi_3, A\xi_4) \\ &\leq \|A(\xi_1 + \xi_2)\|^2 + \|A(\xi_3 + \xi_4)\|^2 \leq \|A\|_+^2 \|\xi\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

It follows that  $\|A\| \leq \|A\|_+$ . The converse inequality is trivial.  $\square$

(2.3). Let  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, J, \mathcal{H}^+)$  be a standard form of a von Neumann algebra. For a selfadjoint element  $A \in \mathcal{M} \cup \mathcal{M}'$ , the following conditions are equivalent:

- (1)  $A \geq O$ .
- (2)  $A \in Z(\mathcal{M})$  and  $A \geq O$ .

*Proof.* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Since  $A \geq O$  if and only if  $JAJ \geq O$ , it suffices to investigate the case  $A \in \mathcal{M}$ . Suppose  $A \geq O, A \in \mathcal{M}$ . Since any element of  $\mathcal{H}$  can be written

as  $\xi + i\eta$  with  $J\xi = \xi$ ,  $J\eta = \eta$ , it follows that for such elements  $\xi, \eta$

$$JAJ(\xi + i\eta) = JA(\xi - i\eta) = JA\xi + iJA\eta = A(\xi + i\eta).$$

Hence  $A \in Z(\mathcal{M})$  and  $A^* = JAJ = A$ . Choose an arbitrary element  $\xi \in \mathcal{H}$ . Then one can write as  $\xi = \xi_1 - \xi_2 + i(\xi_3 - \xi_4)$ ,  $\xi_i \in \mathcal{H}^+$  such that  $\mathcal{M}\xi_1 \perp \mathcal{M}\xi_2$ ,  $\mathcal{M}\xi_3 \perp \mathcal{M}\xi_4$ . We then have

$$\begin{aligned} (A\xi, \xi) &= (A\xi_1 - A\xi_2 + i(A\xi_3 - A\xi_4), \xi_1 - \xi_2 + i(\xi_3 - \xi_4)) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^4 (A\xi_i, \xi_i) \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

because  $(A\xi_1, \xi_2) = (A\xi_3, \xi_4) = 0$  and  $((A(\xi_1 - \xi_2), \xi_3 - \xi_4))$  is a real number. Hence  $A \geq 0$ .

(2) $\Rightarrow$  (1): It is immediate.  $\square$

**(2.4).** Suppose that  $A \in L(\mathcal{H})^+$  has a closed range in which  $A\mathcal{H}^+$  is a selfdual cone. Then we obtain the following properties:

- (1) Under the condition that  $\mathcal{H}^+$  is a facially homogeneous selfdual cone in  $\mathcal{H}$ , if  $A \geq 0$ , then for all  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $A^\lambda \geq 0$ .
- (2) For a matrix ordered standard form  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}_n^+)$ , if  $A \geq 0$  and the support projection of  $A$  is completely positive, then for all  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $A^\lambda \geq_{cp} 0$ .

Here the inverse for a not invertible  $A$  is taken as reduced by the support projection of  $A$ .

*Proof.* (1) Let  $P$  denote the support projection of  $A$ . By assumption we obtain that  $P \geq 0$  and  $P\mathcal{H}^+ = A\mathcal{H}^+$ . Hence, by [I, Proposition II.1.6],  $P\mathcal{H}^+$  is facially homogeneous. Since  $A = PA = AP$  and  $PA$  maps  $P\mathcal{H}^+$  onto itself, it follows from [I, Corollary II.3.2] that there exists a derivation  $\delta \in D(P\mathcal{H}^+)^+$  such that  $PA|_{P\mathcal{H}} = e^\delta$ . Hence

$$A^\lambda = Pe^{\lambda\delta}P \geq 0$$

for every real number  $\lambda$ .

(2) Put  $\mathcal{N} = P\mathcal{M}|_{P\mathcal{H}}$ . Since  $P$  is completely positive, we see from [MN, Lemma 3] that  $(\mathcal{N}, P\mathcal{H}, P_n\mathcal{H}_n^+)$  is a matrix ordered standard form. It follows

from [C, Theorem 3.3] that there exists an element  $B \in \mathcal{N}^+$  such that  $PA = BJ_{P\mathcal{H}+}BJ_{P\mathcal{H}+}P$ . Hence

$$A^\lambda = B^\lambda J_{P\mathcal{H}+}B^\lambda J_{P\mathcal{H}+}P \succeq_{cp} O$$

for every real number  $\lambda$ .  $\square$

A simple counter-example can show that it is essential in the above proposition for  $A\mathcal{H}^+$  to be selfdual. In fact, we obtain the following remark:

*Remark.* In the case  $\mathbf{C}^{n+}$  (non-negative entries), a necessary and sufficient condition for  $A \in M_n^+$  to enjoy  $A\mathbf{C}^{n+} = \mathbf{C}^{n+}$  is that  $A$  is a non-singular positive definite diagonal matrix. We obtain the following facts:

- (1) In the case  $\mathbf{C}^{n+}$ , if  $A \in M_n^+$  and  $A \succeq O$ , then there exists a real number  $s \geq 1$  such that  $A^\lambda \succeq O$  for all  $\lambda \in [s, +\infty)$ .
- (2) In the case  $\mathbf{C}^{n+}$ , if  $A \in M_n^+$ ,  $A \succeq O$ ,  $\det A \neq 0$  and  $A\mathbf{C}^{n+} \subsetneq \mathbf{C}^{n+}$ , then there exists a real number  $s' < 0$  such that  $A^\lambda \not\succeq O$  for all  $\lambda \in (-\infty, s']$ .

Indeed, let  $A \in M_n$  be entrywise positive and positive semi-definite. We may assume  $\|A\| = 1$ . Let  $1, a_1, \dots, a_m, 0 \leq m \leq n-1$ , be distinct eigenvalues of  $A$ . Since  $A$  can be diagonalized by a real orthogonal matrix, each entry of  $A^\lambda$  is written in the form

$$f(\lambda) = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 a_1^\lambda + \dots + \alpha_m a_m^\lambda$$

for some real numbers  $\alpha_k$ . Then  $\alpha_0$  must be positive, since  $A^n \succeq O$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  by (2.2) (1) and  $0 \leq a_k < 1, 1 \leq k \leq m$ . From the continuity of the function we can find a number  $s \geq 1$  such that  $f(\lambda) > 0$  for all  $\lambda \geq s$ . So (1) holds. Suppose, in addition, that  $A$  is non-singular and  $A\mathbf{C}^{n+} \subsetneq \mathbf{C}^{n+}$ . If  $A^{-\lambda_0} \succeq O$  for some  $\lambda_0 > 0$ , then  $A^{-\ell\lambda_0} \succeq O$  for all  $\ell \in \mathbf{N}$ . From (1),  $A^{\ell\lambda_0} \succeq O$  for a large  $\ell \in \mathbf{N}$ . This implies that  $A^{\ell\lambda_0}$  is diagonal, and so is  $A$ , a contradiction. Therefore, (2) holds.

(2.5). For a matrix ordered standard form  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}_n^+)$ , suppose that  $A \in L(\mathcal{H})$ , and  $B \in \mathcal{M}$  is an injective operator with a dense range. Then,  $O \trianglelefteq A \trianglelefteq \hat{B}$  if and only if there exists an element  $C \in Z(\mathcal{M})$  with  $O \leq C \leq I$  such that  $A = C\hat{B}$ . In particular, if  $\mathcal{M}$  is a factor, then one can choose a scalar  $\lambda$  with  $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$  such that  $A = \lambda\hat{B}$ .

*Proof.* Consider the polar decomposition  $B = U|B|$  of  $B$ . By assumption  $U$  is a unitary element of  $\mathcal{M}$ , and so  $\hat{U} \geq O$  and  $\hat{U}^* \geq O$  by (2.2). Hence we may assume  $B$  to be positive semi-definite. Let  $B = \int_0^{\|B\|} \lambda dE_\lambda$  be a spectral decomposition of  $B$ . Put  $P_n = \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\|B\|} dE_\lambda$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then one sees that  $\hat{P}_n \nearrow I$  and  $\hat{P}_n A \hat{P}_n \leq \hat{P}_n \hat{B} \hat{P}_n$  by (2.2). Since  $\hat{P}_n \hat{B} \hat{P}_n$  is invertible on  $\hat{P}_n \mathcal{H}$ , where the inverse shall be denoted by  $(\hat{P}_n \hat{B} \hat{P}_n)^{-1}$ , we have

$$O \leq \hat{P}_n A \hat{P}_n (\hat{P}_n \hat{B} \hat{P}_n)^{-1} \leq \hat{P}_n.$$

There then exists an element  $c_n$  in an order ideal  $Z_{\hat{P}_n \mathcal{H}^+}$  of a selfdual cone  $\hat{P} \mathcal{H}^+$  with  $\|c_n\| \leq 1$  such that  $\hat{P}_n A \hat{P}_n (\hat{P}_n \hat{B} \hat{P}_n)^{-1} \xi = c_n \xi$  for all  $\xi \in \hat{P}_n \mathcal{H}$ . By [I, Theorem VI.1,2 3)] we obtain that  $c_n \in Z(\hat{P}_n \mathcal{M}|_{\hat{P}_n \mathcal{H}})^+$ . Since  $\hat{P}_n Z(\mathcal{M}) \hat{P}_n = Z(\hat{P}_n \mathcal{M} \hat{P}_n)$ , we can find an element  $C_n \in Z(\mathcal{M})$  such that  $c_n \xi = \hat{P}_n C_n \hat{P}_n \xi$  for all  $\xi \in \hat{P}_n \mathcal{H}$ . Since  $P_n B = B P_n, n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{P}_{n+1} C_{n+1} \hat{P}_{n+1} \xi &= \hat{P}_{n+1} A \hat{P}_{n+1} (\hat{P}_{n+1} \hat{B} \hat{P}_{n+1})^{-1} \hat{P}_n \xi \\ &= \hat{P}_{n+1} A \hat{P}_n (\hat{P}_n \hat{B} \hat{P}_n)^{-1} \xi = \hat{P}_n C_n \hat{P}_n \xi \end{aligned}$$

for all  $\xi \in \hat{P}_n \mathcal{H}$ . Since  $\{\hat{P}_n C_n \hat{P}_n\}$  is a bounded sequence, one can define

$$C \xi = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{P}_n C_n \hat{P}_n \xi, \quad \xi \in \mathcal{H}.$$

Thus  $C \in Z(\mathcal{M}), O \leq C \leq I$  and we get

$$\begin{aligned} A &= s\text{-}\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{P}_n A \hat{P}_n \\ &= s\text{-}\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{P}_n C_n \hat{P}_n A \hat{P}_n \\ &= C \hat{B}. \end{aligned}$$

The converse implication is immediate. Indeed, if  $C \in Z(\mathcal{M})$  with  $O \leq C \leq I$ , then  $I - C \geq O$ , and so  $I - C \geq O$ . Hence  $\hat{B} - C \hat{B} = (I - C) \hat{B} \geq O$ . This completes the proof.  $\square$

### §3. COMPLETE ORDER OF OPERATORS

Consider two matrix ordered standard forms  $(\mathcal{M}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}_n^{(1)+})$  and  $(\mathcal{M}^{(2)}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)}, \mathcal{H}_n^{(2)+})$  with respective canonical involutions  $J^{(1)}$  and  $J^{(2)}$ . For an arbitrary element  $\xi \in \mathcal{H}^{(1)}$ , let  $R_\xi$  be a right slice map of  $\mathcal{H}^{(1)} \otimes \mathcal{H}^{(2)}$  into  $\mathcal{H}^{(2)}$  such that

$$R_\xi(\xi' \otimes \eta') = (\xi', \xi)\eta', \xi' \in \mathcal{H}^{(1)}, \eta' \in \mathcal{H}^{(2)}.$$

For any element  $x \in \mathcal{H}^{(1)} \otimes \mathcal{H}^{(2)}$ , we put

$$r(x)\xi = R_{J^{(1)}\xi}(x), \xi \in \mathcal{H}^{(1)}.$$

Then  $r(x)$  is a map of Hilbert-Schmidt class of  $\mathcal{H}^{(1)}$  to  $\mathcal{H}^{(2)}$ . A set of all maps of Hilbert-Schmidt class of  $\mathcal{H}^{(1)}$  to  $\mathcal{H}^{(2)}$  is denoted by  $HS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)})$ . A set of all completely positive maps of  $(\mathcal{H}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}_n^{(1)+'})$  to  $(\mathcal{H}^{(2)}, \mathcal{H}_n^{(2)+})$  in  $HS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)})$  is denoted by  $CPHS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)+'}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)+})$ . Here  $\mathcal{H}_n^{(1)+'}, n \in \mathbf{N}$ , means a family of the self-dual cones associated with  $\mathcal{M}^{(1) '}$ , that is  $\mathcal{H}_n^{(1)+'} = \{^t[\xi_{ij}]_{i,j=1}^n \mid [\xi_{ij}]_{i,j=1}^n \in \mathcal{H}_n^{(1)+}\}$ . We shall write  $\mathcal{H}^{(1)+} \otimes \mathcal{H}^{(2)+}$  for a selfdual cone associated with a von Neumann tensor product  $\mathcal{M}^{(1)} \otimes \mathcal{M}^{(2)}$ . It was shown in [MT, SW1] that

$$\mathcal{H}^{(1)+} \otimes \mathcal{H}^{(2)+} = \{x \in \mathcal{H}^{(1)} \otimes \mathcal{H}^{(2)} \mid r(x) \in CPHS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)+'}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)+})\}.$$

Thus

$$r : \mathcal{H}^{(1)} \otimes \mathcal{H}^{(2)} \rightarrow HS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)})$$

is an isometry mapping  $\mathcal{H}^{(1)+} \otimes \mathcal{H}^{(2)+}$  onto  $CPHS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)+'}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)+})$ .

Indeed,  $r$  is isometric. Suppose that  $HS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)})$  has an inner product

$$\langle A, B \rangle = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (Ae_k, Be_k),$$

where  $\{e_k\}$  is a complete orthogonal basis of  $\mathcal{H}^{(1)}$ . Noticing that  $\{J^{(1)}e_k\}$  is a complete orthogonal basis of  $\mathcal{H}^{(1)}$ , we obtain for a complete orthogonal basis  $\{f_k\}$



$$\begin{aligned}
& \langle r(J^{(1)}e_i \otimes f_j), r(J^{(1)}e_{i'} \otimes f_{j'}) \rangle \\
&= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (r(J^{(1)}e_i \otimes f_j)(e_k), r(J^{(1)}e_{i'} \otimes f_{j'})(e_k)) \\
&= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (R_{J^{(1)}e_k}(J^{(1)}e_i \otimes f_j), R_{J^{(1)}e_k}(J^{(1)}e_{i'} \otimes f_{j'})) \\
&= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} ((J^{(1)}e_i, J^{(1)}e_k)f_j, (J^{(1)}e_{i'}, J^{(1)}e_k)f_{j'}) \\
&= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} ((e_k, e_i)f_j, (e_k, e_{i'})f_{j'}) \\
&= \delta_{ii'}\delta_{jj'}
\end{aligned}$$

for  $i, j, i', j' = 1, 2, \dots$ .

Therefore,  $(r(\mathcal{M}^{(1)} \otimes \mathcal{M}^{(2)})r^{-1}, HS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)}), r(J^{(1)} \otimes J^{(2)})r^{-1}, CPHS(\mathcal{H}^{(1)+}, \mathcal{H}^{(2)+}))$  is a standard form. Using the Radon-Nikodym theorem for  $L^2$ -spaces [S, Theorem 1.2], we obtain the following theorem:

**(3.1).** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}_n^+)$  be a matrix ordered standard form. Then  $(r(\mathcal{M}' \otimes \mathcal{M})r^{-1}, HS(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}), r(J \otimes J)r^{-1}, CPHS(\mathcal{H}^+, \mathcal{H}^+))$  is a standard form which is isomorphic to  $(\mathcal{M}' \otimes \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{H}, J \otimes J, \mathcal{H}^+ \otimes \mathcal{H}^+)$  by the identification  $r : \mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{H} \rightarrow HS(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H})$  defined as above. If  $A, B \in HS(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H})$  satisfies  $0 \leq_{cp} A \leq_{cp} B$ , then there exists an element  $C \in \mathcal{M}' \otimes \mathcal{M}$  with  $0 \leq C \leq I$  such that  $A = rCr^{-1}B$ .*

**(3.2).** *If in (3.1)  $\mathcal{M}$  is an injective factor (or semi-finite injective von Neumann algebra) on a separable Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$ , then the above statement is valid for  $A \in L(\mathcal{H})$  instead of  $A \in HS(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H})$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose that  $\mathcal{M}$  is the von Neumann algebra in the statement. There then exists an increasing net  $\{E_i\}$  of completely positive projections of finite rank on  $\mathcal{H}$  which converges strongly to 1 by [M1, Theorem 1.4]. It follows that  $0 \leq_{cp} E_i A \leq_{cp} E_i B$ . Hence

$$\text{Tr}(A^* E_i A) \leq \text{Tr}(B^* E_i B) \leq \text{Tr}(B^* B).$$

Considering a limit with respect to  $i$ , we have  $\text{Tr}(A^* A) < +\infty$ . Using (3.1) we obtain the desired result.  $\square$

(3.3). For a matrix ordered standard form  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}_n^+)$ , any element  $A \in HS(\mathcal{H})$  can be uniquely decomposed into the following:

$$A = A_1 - A_2 + i(A_3 - A_4)$$

where  $A_1 \perp A_2, A_3 \perp A_4, A_i \in CPHS(\mathcal{H}^+)$ .

The proof of the above proposition is immediate from a decomposition theorem of vectors in the ordered Hilbert space.

#### §4. DECOMPOSITION OF POSITIVE MAPS

The purpose of this section is to show that any order isomorphism between non-commutative  $L^2$ -spaces associated with von Neumann algebras is decomposed into a sum of a completely positive and a completely co-positive maps. The result is an  $L^2$  version of a theorem of Kadison [K] for a Jordan isomorphism on operator algebras.

We first generalize a theorem of A. Connes [C] for the polar decomposition of an order isomorphism, to the case where a von Neumann algebra is non- $\sigma$ -finite.

(4.1). Let  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, J, \mathcal{H}^+)$  and  $(\tilde{\mathcal{M}}, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}, \tilde{J}, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+)$  be standard forms, and  $A$  be a linear bijection of  $\mathcal{H}$  onto  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$  satisfying  $A\mathcal{H}^+ = \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . Then for a polar decomposition  $A = U|A|$  of  $A$  we obtain the following properties:

- (1) There exists a unique invertible operator  $B$  in  $\mathcal{M}^+$  such that  $|A| = BJB$ .  
(cf. [I, Corollary II.3.2])
- (2) There exists a unique Jordan  $*$ -isomorphism  $\alpha$  of  $\mathcal{M}$  onto  $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$  such that

$$(\alpha(X)\xi, \xi) = (XU^{-1}\xi, U^{-1}\xi)$$

for all  $X \in \mathcal{M}, \xi \in \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ .

*Proof.* (1) Let  $\mathcal{M}$  be non- $\sigma$ -finite. Choose an increasing net  $\{p_i\}_{i \in I}$  of  $\sigma$ -finite projections in  $\mathcal{M}$  converging strongly to 1. Put  $q_i = p_i J p_i J$ . By [[C, Theorem 4.2]  $q_i \mathcal{H}^+$  is a closed face of  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . Since  $A$  is an order isomorphism,  $A(q_i \mathcal{H}^+)$  is a closed face of  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . There then exists a  $\sigma$ -finite projection  $p'_i \in \tilde{\mathcal{M}}$  such that  $A(q_i \mathcal{H}^+) = q'_i \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$  where  $q'_i$  denotes  $p'_i J p'_i J$ . Hence  $q'_i A q_i$  is an order isomorphism

of  $q_i\mathcal{H}^+$  onto  $q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . These cones appear respectively in the reduced standard forms  $(q_i\mathcal{M}q_i, q_i\mathcal{H}, q_iJq_i, q_i\mathcal{H}^+)$  and  $(q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{M}}q'_i, q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{H}}, q'_iJq'_i, q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+)$ . Put  $A_i = (q'_iAq_i)^*q'_iAq_i$ . Then  $A_i \in q_i\mathcal{M}^+q_i$  is an order automorphism on  $q_i\mathcal{H}^+$ . By [C, Theorem 3.3] there exists a unique invertible operator  $B_i \in q_i\mathcal{M}^+q_i$  such that  $A_i = B_iJ_iB_iJ_i$ , where  $J_i$  denotes  $q_iJq_i$ . Taking a logarithm of both sides, we have  $\log A_i = \log B_i + J_i(\log B_i)J_i$ . Since  $\{A_i\}$  is a bounded net,  $\{\log B_i\}$  is bounded. Indeed, we have in a standard form that a map

$$X \mapsto \delta_X = \frac{1}{2}(X + JXJ)$$

is a Jordan isomorphism of a selfadjoint part of  $\mathcal{M}$  into a selfadjoint part of a set of all order derivations  $D(\mathcal{H}^+)$  by [I, Corollary VI.2.3]. It is known that any isomorphism of a JB-algebra into another JB-algebra is isometry (see [HS, Proposition 3,4.3]). Hence

$$\|\delta_X\| = \|X\|, \quad X \in \mathcal{M}_{\text{s.a.}}$$

Thus  $\{\log B_i\}$  is bounded. It follows that  $\{p_i(\log B_i)p_i\}$  is bounded because  $p_i\mathcal{M}p_i$  and  $q_i\mathcal{M}q_i$  are  $*$ -isomorphic. Therefore, one can find a subnet of  $\{p_i \log B_i p_i\}$  which converges to some element  $C \in \mathcal{M}^+$  in the  $\sigma$ -weak topology. We may index the subnet as the same  $i \in \mathbf{I}$ . We then have for  $\xi, \eta \in \mathcal{H}$

$$\begin{aligned} ((C + J C J)q_j\xi, q_j\eta) &= \lim_i ((p_i(\log B_i)p_i + Jp_i(\log B_i)p_iJ)q_j\xi, q_j\eta) \\ &= ((\log B_j + J_j(\log B_j)J_j)q_j\xi, q_j\eta) \\ &= \lim_i (\log A_i q_j\xi, q_j\eta) \\ &= (\log A^* A q_j\xi, q_j\eta), \end{aligned}$$

using the facts that  $q_iXq_iJq_iXq_iJq_i = p_iXp_iJp_iXp_iJq_i$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{M}$ , and under the strong topology  $\{A_i\}$  converges to  $A^*A$ ; hence  $\{q_i(\log A_i)q_i\}$  converges to  $\log A^*A$ . Since  $\bigcup_{i \in \mathbf{I}} q_i\mathcal{H}$  is dense in  $\mathcal{H}$ , we obtain the equality  $C + J C J = \log A^*A$ . Therefore,  $e^C J e^C J = A^*A$ . Thus there exists an element  $B \in \mathcal{M}^+$  such that  $|A| = B J B J$ . Since, in addition,  $q_iBq_iJq_iBq_iJq_i = q_i|A|q_i$ , one easily sees the invertibility and the unicity of  $B$  using the same properties as in the  $\sigma$ -finite case.

(2) From (1) we have  $U = AB^{-1}JB^{-1}J$ . It follows that  $U$  is an isometry satisfying  $U\mathcal{H}^+ = \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . Let  $p_i$  and  $q_i$  be as in (1). There then exists a  $\sigma$ -finite projection  $p'_i \in \tilde{\mathcal{M}}$  such that  $U(q_i\mathcal{H}^+) = q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$  with  $q'_i = p'_i\tilde{J}p'_i\tilde{J}$ . Using also [C, Theorem 3.3], one can find a unique Jordan  $*$ -isomorphism  $\alpha_i$  of  $q_i\mathcal{M}q_i$  onto  $q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{M}}q'_i$  such that

$$(\alpha_i(q_iXq_i)\xi, \xi) = (q_iXq_iU^{-1}\xi, U^{-1}\xi)$$

for all  $X \in \mathcal{M}, \xi \in q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . Fixed now  $X \in \mathcal{M}_{s.a.}$ . Since  $p'_i\tilde{\mathcal{M}}p'_i$  and  $q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{M}}q'_i$  are  $*$ -isomorphic, there exists a unique operator  $Y_i \in p'_i\tilde{\mathcal{M}}_{s.a.}p'_i$  such that  $Y_i|_{q'_i\tilde{\mathcal{H}}} = \alpha_i(q_iXq_i)$ . Using an isometry between the Jordan algebras, one sees that  $\{\alpha_i(q_iXq_i)\}$  is a bounded net, because  $\|\alpha_i(q_iXq_i)\| = \|q_iXq_i\| \leq \|X\|, i \in \mathbf{I}$ . Thus  $\{Y_i\}$  is bounded. We may then say that  $\{Y_i\}$  converges to some operator  $Y \in \tilde{\mathcal{M}}_{s.a.}$  in the  $\sigma$ -weak topology. We then have for  $\xi \in \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$

$$\begin{aligned} (Yq'_j\xi, q'_j\xi) &= \lim_i (Y_iq'_j\xi, q'_j\xi) = \lim_i (\alpha_i(q_iXq_i)q'_j\xi, q'_j\xi) \\ &= \lim_i (q_iXq_iU^{-1}q'_j\xi, U^{-1}q'_j\xi) \\ &= (XU^{-1}q'_j\xi, U^{-1}q'_j\xi). \end{aligned}$$

Taking a limit with respect to  $j$ , we obtain

$$(Y\xi, \xi) = (XU^{-1}\xi, U^{-1}\xi)$$

for all  $\xi \in \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . It is known that any normal state on the von Neumann algebra  $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$  is represented by a vector state with respect to an element of  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$  (see [H, Lemma 2.10 (1)]). Therefore, the above element  $Y$  is uniquely determined. Moreover, we have  $q'_iYq'_i = \alpha_i(q_iXq_i)$ . It follows that  $\{\alpha_i(q_iXq_i)\}$  converges to  $Y$  in the strong topology. Hence one can define  $\alpha(X) = Y$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{M}$ . It is now immediate that  $\alpha(X^2) = \alpha(X)^2$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{M}_{s.a.}$ . Considering the inverse order isomorphism  $U^{-1}$ , we have  $\alpha(\mathcal{M}) = \tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ . This completes the proof.  $\square$

In the following proposition we deal with a reduced matrix ordered standard form by a completely positive projection.

(4.2). *With  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}_n^+)$  a matrix ordered standard form, let  $E$  be a completely positive projection on  $\mathcal{H}$ . Then  $(EME, E\mathcal{H}, E_n\mathcal{H}_n^+)$  is a matrix ordered standard*

*Proof.* The statement was shown in [MN, Lemma 3] where  $\mathcal{M}$  is  $\sigma$ -finite. In the case where  $\mathcal{M}$  is not  $\sigma$ -finite, since  $E$  is a completely positive projection, there exists a von Neumann algebra  $\mathcal{N}$  such that  $(\mathcal{N}, E\mathcal{H}, E_n\mathcal{H}_n^+)$  is a matrix ordered standard form by [M2, Lemma 3]. Hence  $E\mathcal{M}|_{E\mathcal{H}} = \mathcal{N}$  and  $(E\mathcal{M}E, E\mathcal{H}, E_n\mathcal{H}_n^+)$  is a matrix ordered standard form by using the same discussion as in the proof in [M3].  $\square$

Now, we shall state the decomposition theorem for an order isomorphism between non-commutative  $L^2$ -spaces.

**(4.3).** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}_n^+)$  and  $(\tilde{\mathcal{M}}, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_n^+)$  be matrix ordered standard forms. Suppose that  $A$  is a 1-positive map of  $\mathcal{H}$  into  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$  such that  $A\mathcal{H}^+$  is a selfdual cone in the closed range of  $A$ . If both the support projection  $E$  and the range projection  $F$  of  $A$  are completely positive, then there exists a central projection  $P$  of  $E\mathcal{M}E$  such that  $AP$  is completely positive and  $A(E - P)$  is completely co-positive.*

*In particular, if  $A$  is an order isomorphism of  $\mathcal{H}$  onto  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$ , then there exists a central projection  $P$  of  $\mathcal{M}$  such that  $AP$  is completely positive and  $A(1 - P)$  is completely co-positive.*

*Proof.* We first consider the case where  $A$  is an order isomorphism. Let  $U, B$  and  $\alpha$  be as in (4.1). It follows from a theorem of Kadison [K] that there exists a central projection  $P$  of  $\mathcal{M}$  satisfying

$$\alpha : \mathcal{M}_P \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{M}}_{\alpha(P)}, \text{ onto } *- \text{isomorphism}$$

and

$$\alpha : \mathcal{M}_{1-P} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{M}}_{\alpha(1-P)}, \text{ onto } *- \text{anti-isomorphism.}$$

Indeed,  $\alpha(P)$  is a central projection of  $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ . Since  $\alpha$  preserves a  $*$ -operation and power,  $\alpha(P)$  is a projection. Suppose that  $Q$  is an arbitrary projection in  $\mathcal{M}$ . Since  $\alpha$  is order preserving, we have  $\alpha(QP) \leq \alpha(P)$  and  $\alpha(Q(1 - P)) \leq \alpha(1 - P)$ . It follows that two projections  $\alpha(P)$  and  $\alpha(QP)$  are commutative, and so are  $\alpha(1 - P)$  and  $\alpha(Q(1 - P))$ . Hence  $\alpha(Q) = \alpha(QP + Q(1 - P))$  and  $\alpha(P)$  commute. Since  $\alpha$  is bijective, a set  $\alpha(Q)$  generates a von Neumann algebra  $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ . Therefore,  $\alpha(P)$  belongs to a center of  $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ . Now, there then exists a unique completely positive

isometry  $u : P\mathcal{H} \rightarrow \alpha(P)\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$  such that

$$u(P\mathcal{H}^+) = \alpha(P)\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+ \quad \text{and} \quad \alpha(x) = u x u^{-1}, \quad x \in \mathcal{M}_P$$

by [M3, Proposition 2.4] which is also valid for the non- $\sigma$ -finite case. Hence  $(UxU^{-1}\xi, \xi) = (uxu^{-1}\xi, \xi), x \in \mathcal{M}_P, \xi \in \alpha(P)\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . We have from the unicity of a completely positive isometry  $UP = u$ . Note that  $\alpha(P)UP = UP$ . Indeed, we have for  $\xi \in \alpha(1-P)\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$  the equality

$$\|PU^{-1}\xi\|^2 = (UPU^{-1}\xi, \xi) = (\alpha(P)\xi, \xi) = 0.$$

This yields  $PU^{-1}\alpha(1-P) = 0$ , and so  $PU^{-1} = PU^{-1}\alpha(P)$ . Therefore, we obtain that  $AP = UBJBJP = uBJBJP$  and  $AP$  is completely positive.

We next consider a  $*$ -isomorphism  $\alpha' : \mathcal{M}_{1-P} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{M}}'_{1-\alpha(P)}$  defined by  $\alpha'(X) = \tilde{J}\alpha(X)^*\tilde{J}, X \in \mathcal{M}_{1-P}$ . There then exists a unique completely positive isometry  $v : (1-P)\mathcal{H} \rightarrow \alpha(1-P)\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$  such that

$$v(1-P)\mathcal{H}^+ = (1-\alpha(P))\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+ \quad \text{and} \quad \alpha'(x) = v x v^{-1}, \quad x \in \mathcal{M}_{1-P}.$$

Then we have  $\alpha(x) = \tilde{J}v x^* v^{-1} \tilde{J}, x \in \mathcal{M}_{1-P}$ . Note that the complete positivity above means  $v_n(1-P)_n \mathcal{H}_n^+ = (1-\alpha(P))_n \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_n^{+'}$ , where  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_n^{+'}$  denotes the selfdual cones associated with  $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}'$ . Hence  $v$  is a completely co-positive map under the setting  $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{H}_n^+)$  and  $(\tilde{\mathcal{M}}, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_n^+)$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} (UxU^{-1}\xi, \xi) &= (\tilde{J}v x^* v^{-1} \tilde{J}\xi, \xi) \\ &= (\tilde{J}\xi, v x^* v^{-1} \tilde{J}\xi) \\ &= (v x v^{-1}\xi, \xi) \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{M}_{1-P}, \xi \in (1-P)\mathcal{H}^+$ . It follows that  $U(1-P) = v$ . We conclude by the equality  $A(1-P) = vBJBJ(1-P)$  that  $A(1-P)$  is completely co-positive.

We now consider a general  $A$ . Since  $A\mathcal{H}^+ \subset \tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ , we have  $A\mathcal{H}^+ \subset F\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . Since  $F$  is a projection,  $F\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$  is a selfdual cone in  $F\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$ . It follows from the selfduality of  $A\mathcal{H}^+$  that  $A\mathcal{H}^+ = F\tilde{\mathcal{H}}^+$ . This yields from (4.2) that  $FAE$  is an order isomorphism of  $E\mathcal{H}$  onto  $F\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$  in the sense of matrix ordered standard forms  $(EME, E\mathcal{H}, E_n\mathcal{H}_n^+)$

and  $(F\tilde{\mathcal{M}}F, F\tilde{\mathcal{H}}, F_n\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_n^+)$ . Using the first part of the proof, we obtain the desired result. Indeed, there exists a central projection  $P \in EME$  such that  $FAP$  is completely positive and  $FA(E - P)$  is completely co-positive under the reduced matrix ordered standard forms. We obtain the inclusion

$${}^t(A_n(E_n - P_n)\mathcal{H}_n^+) = {}^t(F_n A_n(E_n - P_n)\mathcal{H}_n^+) \subset F_n\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_n^+ \subset \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_n^+.$$

This completes the proof.  $\square$

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